



SUPERMAN

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Look, two Jewish kids! . . . I bet a month's pay you can't run over both of them.

Run, Joshua. **RUN!**

You're on! **WATCH ME!** Giddap!...

YAAAAH!!

Well done.

Pay up.


I will, I will. *Haw haw haw.*

You devils!

MURDERERS!

This was life in Israel in 1160 B.C. under the bloody hands of the Philistines.

For 40 years the Israelites prayed to the Creator of the universe.



O God, forgive our sins. We are suffering so much at the hands of the Philistines.

Lord, send *someone* to help us.

God heard their prayers.

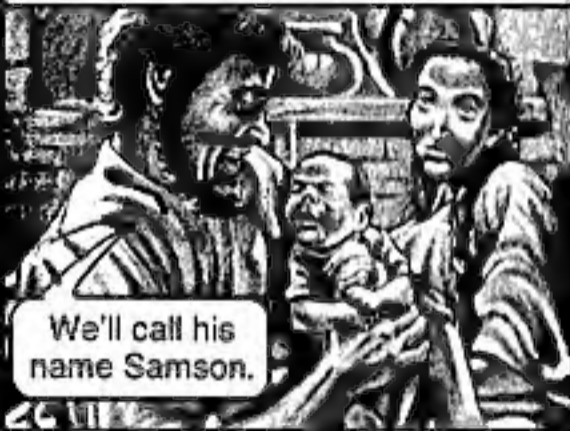
An angel told the wife of Manoah, an Israelite, that she would bear a son.



You must never cut his hair. He shall begin to deliver Israel from the Philistines.

This is a true story found in the book of Judges, chapters 13-16.

A baby boy was born. Little did his parents know what was coming!



We'll call his name Samson.

The child grew, and the Lord blessed him.

God picked Samson for a special job and placed His Spirit upon him.



Samson had a few problems, but sometimes God uses strange people to accomplish great things.

Samson chose a Philistine wife.
His parents were sick about it.

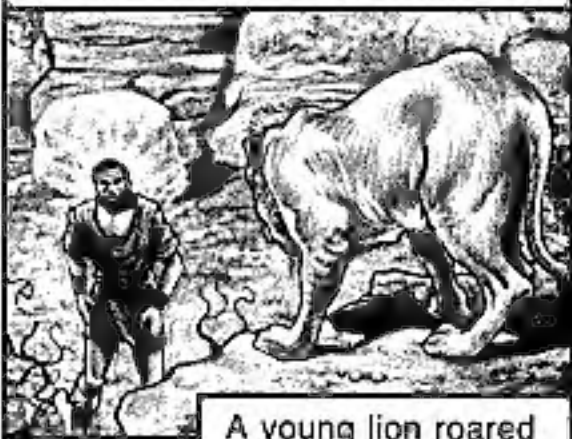


Why can't you find
a Jewish woman,
one of our own?

She pleases
me, Father. Get her for me.

God's hand was moving in this weird
situation to take down the Philistines.

Samson was walking through
vineyards on his way to Timnath.



A young lion roared
and attacked Samson. He had no
weapon to protect himself.

The Spirit of God came upon Samson and he killed the lion with his bare hands.



He told no one about it and went on to discuss his wedding plans with his fiancée.

Later, he saw that bees were making honey in the lion's carcass.



Samson took the honey home and shared it with his parents.

At his wedding, Samson told a riddle.

Out of the eater came
forth meat.


And out of the
strong came
forth sweetness.

He bet his guests 30 changes of
clothing that they couldn't solve
the riddle in 7 days.

The guests soon gave up and
began pressuring Samson's wife.

Get the answer
from your husband,
or we'll burn *you* and
your father's house.

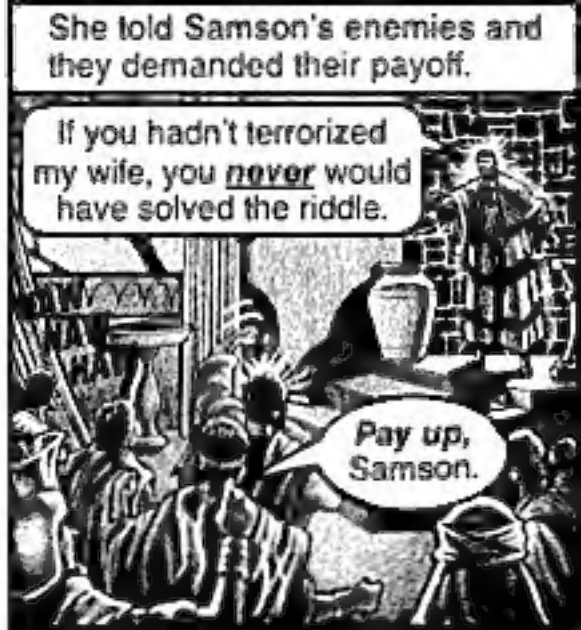
Samson's wife was **TERRIFIED**.



You hate me! If you loved me, you would tell me the riddle.

No, no, my love. You don't understand.

For 7 miserable days and nights she nagged and begged, until he gave up and told her the answer.



She told Samson's enemies and they demanded their payoff.

If you hadn't terrorized my wife, you never would have solved the riddle.

Pay up, Samson.

The only way Samson could pay his debt was to kill 30 Philistines and take their clothing.

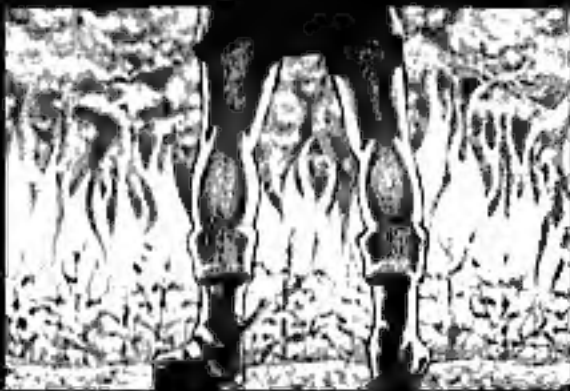


Samson was boiling mad when he went to his father-in-law's house.



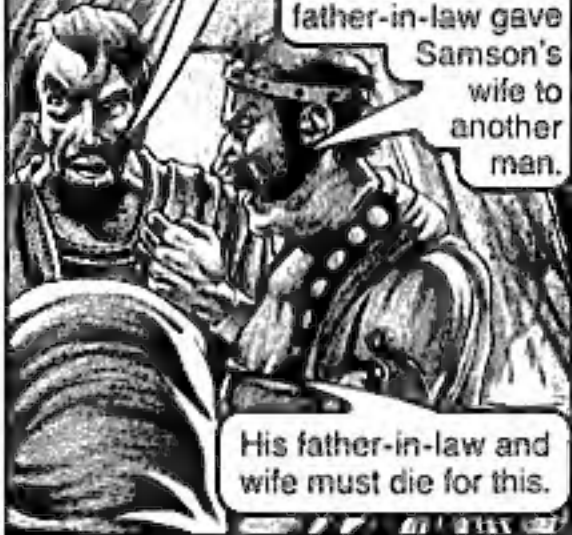
Now Samson was REALLY furious. He decided to get even.

**Samson caught 300 foxes
and tied their tails together.**



He attached a lighted torch to the tails of each pair and turned them loose, setting the fields on fire.

Who did this?



Samson did it because his father-in-law gave Samson's wife to another man.

His father-in-law and wife must die for this.

The Philistines burnt her and
her father to death



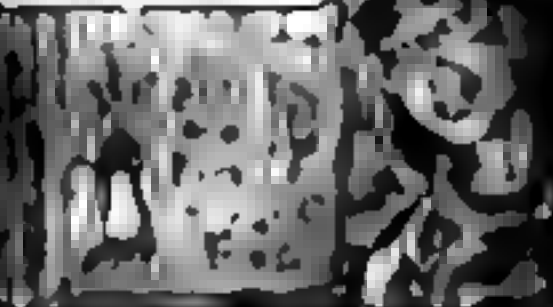
They showed no mercy Samson
wanted revenge and would end

He slaughtered the Philistines who
murdered his wife



Not a lot of people were there, but it was the first time in a long time that we had a good turnout.

Some of the things that we did...



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Figure 1: A stylized illustration of a person, possibly a scholar or writer, standing in a landscape. The figure is rendered in a dark, almost black silhouette against a lighter, textured background.

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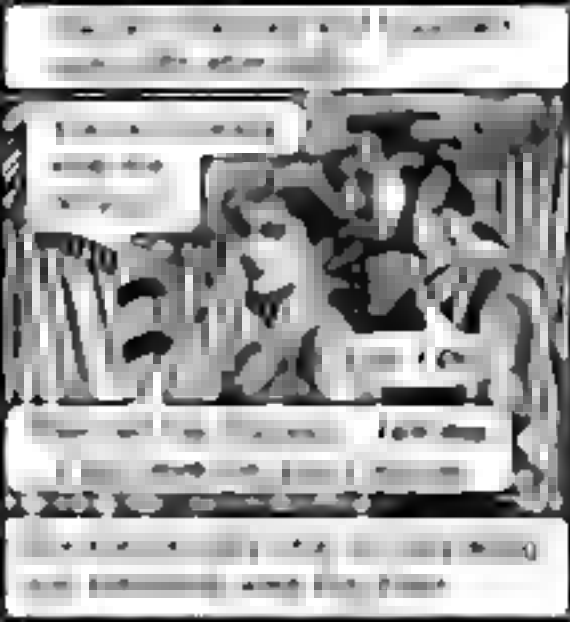


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Samson.

MY SISTER, THIS IS UNUSUAL.
WHAT HAPPENED?

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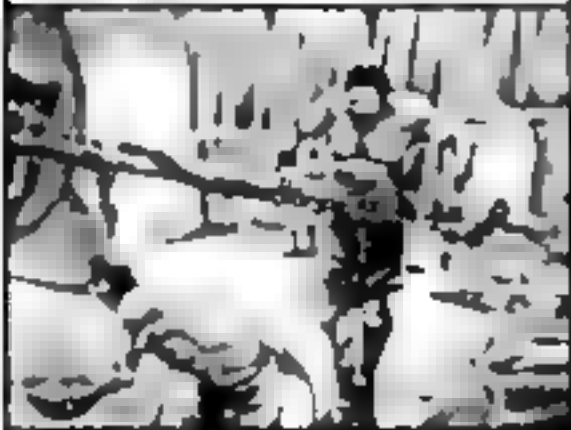
Samson's eyes were gouged out.
He suffered greatly because he
had not been faithful to his God.

Samson, can you see me?



The Philistines hated Samson and
turned him into a slave.

Samson was made to grind wheat
like an animal in the prison house.



But the Philistines failed to notice
that his hair was growing back.

1. The first part of the text discusses the importance of maintaining accurate records in a business setting. It emphasizes that proper record-keeping is essential for tracking financial performance, managing inventory, and ensuring compliance with legal requirements. The text also mentions that well-maintained records can provide valuable insights into operational trends and help identify areas for improvement.



2. The second part of the text focuses on the role of technology in modern business operations. It highlights how digital tools and software solutions have revolutionized the way companies manage their data, communicate with customers, and streamline their internal processes. The text notes that technology has enabled businesses to reach global markets more easily and respond to market changes more quickly. However, it also points out the challenges associated with digital transformation, such as data security and the need for employee training.

3. The third part of the text explores the impact of globalization on the business landscape. It discusses how international trade and investment have created new opportunities for growth and innovation. The text mentions that globalization has led to increased competition and has encouraged companies to adopt best practices from other parts of the world. At the same time, it addresses the concerns of job displacement and the loss of local industries due to global market forces.



4. The final part of the text discusses the future of business and the role of leadership. It emphasizes the importance of strong leadership in navigating uncertain times and driving organizational success. The text suggests that leaders should focus on fostering a culture of innovation and collaboration, and should be prepared to make difficult decisions. It also mentions that the future of business will likely be shaped by emerging technologies and changing consumer preferences.





“For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.”

John 3:16

When Jesus created the universe, He already knew that His major reason to come to earth was to die for the sins of man.

He shed His precious blood to wash away our sins. He died, was buried and arose from the dead three days later. Now He is up in heaven.

The final war is coming between Christ and Satan's evil world system.
It's called the Battle of Armageddon. People must choose sides!

(See Rev. 16:16.)



Unlike Samson, when Jesus Christ comes the second time, the billions who oppose Him will be crushed. He will rule the world from Jerusalem as King of kings and Lord of lords.

The only way to be on the winning side is to choose Christ as your God.



Lord Jesus, I'm a sinner. Please forgive my sins and become my personal Savior and Master.

Either you will rule with Christ when you die or be with Satan in the lake of fire.

Which one will you serve?



Jesus Christ



Satan

"Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved, and thy house."
Acts 16:31

THE BIBLE SAYS THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY TO HEAVEN!

Jesus said, "I am the way, the truth, and the life; no man cometh unto the Father, but by me." John 14:6

NOBODY ELSE CAN SAVE YOU. TRUST JESUS TODAY!

"That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved." Rom. 10:9

1. Admit you are a sinner. See Romans 3:10
2. Be willing to turn from sin (repent). See Acts 17:30
3. Believe that Jesus Christ died for you, was buried and rose from the dead. See Rom. 10:9-10
4. Through prayer, invite Jesus into your heart to become your personal Saviour. See Rom. 10:13

WHAT TO PRAY

Dear God, I am a sinner and need forgiveness. I believe that Jesus Christ shed His precious blood and died for my sin. I am willing to turn from sin. I now invite Christ to come into my heart as my personal Saviour.

If you trusted Jesus as your Saviour, you have just begun a wonderful new life with Him. Now:

1. Read your Bible (KJV) every day to get to know Jesus Christ better.
2. Talk to God in prayer every day.
3. Be baptized, worship, fellowship, and serve with other Christians in a church where Christ is preached and the Bible is the final authority.
4. Tell others about Jesus Christ.

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